

## SHORT NOTICE QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

### Settlement of dispute between Employees and Management of Khoday Eshwarsa & Sons.

Q.—31. Sri S. GOPALA GOWDA (Sagar-Hosanagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether it is not a fact that a dispute between the Management of Messrs. Khoday Eshwarsa & Sons and their employees was referred to the Industrial Tribunal;

(b) if so, on what date the Tribunal gave its judgment;

(c) whether the Management have implemented the Award given by the Tribunal;

(d) whether the President of the above Labour Association had made a representation to the Hon'ble Minister for Labour on 26th February 1954 requesting the Government to take action against the Management under Section 25 (1) of the Industrial Disputes (Amendment) Act, 1953 (43 of 1953);

(e) what action Government have taken or contemplate to take in this connection?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

(a) Yes.

Two disputes between the workers and Management of Messrs. Khoday Eshwarsa & Sons were referred to the Industrial Tribunal under the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947, by the Government.

(b) 15th June 1953 and 24th December 1953.

(c) There have not been any complaints by the workers as regards non-implementation of the two Awards, except for a complaint from 13 workers alleging that the D. A. and minimum wages fixed have not been paid to them as per Award dated 24th December 1953. This complaint is being investigated by the Department.

(d) Yes.

(e) Instructions have been issued to the Labour Commissioner to get the

claim of the workers settled immediately in accordance with the provisions of Industrial Disputes (Amendment) Act, 1953. Report of action taken by him is awaited.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಗೋಪಾಲಗೌಡ.—ಈ ಕಾರ್ಖಾನೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಶಾಖೆಗಳೂ ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡುತ್ತಿವೆಯೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಯಾವ ಸೆಕ್ಷನ್ ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದೆಯೋ ನನಗೆ ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಗೋಪಾಲಗೌಡ.—ಜನಪರಿ ಎರಡನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನ ನಂತರ ಈ ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಟರಿಯ ಬಹುಭಾಗವನ್ನು ಮುಚ್ಚಿರುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಬಂದಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಗೋಪಾಲಗೌಡ.—ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಟರಿಯನ್ನು ಮುಚ್ಚಿದ ಮೇಲೆ ಕಾರ್ಮಿಕರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ದೂರು ಹೇಳಿಕೊಂಡಿಲ್ಲವೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—13 ಜನ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅದನ್ನು ಇತ್ಯರ್ಥ ಪಡಿಸಿ ತಕ್ಷಣ ತೀರಬೇಕೆಂದು ಲೇಬರ್ ಕಮಿಷನರಿಗೆ ರೆಫರ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೇವು. Report of action taken is awaited. The latest report is dated 14th. I will read it for your information:

“The report from the Labour Commissioner has since been received stating that his efforts to get the claim of the workers settled in accordance with the provisions of the Industrial Disputes (Amendment) Act, 1953, have failed and suggested that action may be taken to recover the dues from the management as arrears of land revenue.”

So we are going to take action.

### Anti-Leprosy Work.

Q.—36. Sri M. LINGANNA (Nanjangud).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether they have recently appointed Special Leprosy Officer and an Assistant Leprosy Officer;

(b) if so, in which part of the State they are posted to work;

(c) whether there is any colony selected by the Government in which they are to work;

(d) whether they have collected statistics in regard to this disease and whether they have received any report in this matter;